



# EMMANUEL LIFE



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EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH, ALEXANDRIA, LA A PLACE TO BE. A PLACE TO BECOME

## Week of February 17 - 23

### Wednesday, February 17

- 4:30 **Blood Drive** - Room 105, 4:30 - 7:15; Bring photo I.D. to donate.
- 5:00 Supper - Weems Hall
- 5:00 **Homebound Deacon Team Meeting** - Room 111
- 5:15 Nursery (ages Birth - 2 years) *Preschool Wing*
- 5:30 Early Room (3 years - K) *Room 124; Parents escort children to Mission Friends room.*
- 5:30 Early Room (Grades 1 - 6) - *FLC; FLC worker will escort children to FLC.*
- 5:45 Mission Friends & Preschool Choir - *Preschool Wing*
- 5:45 Music Makers - *3rd Floor*
- 5:45 Young Musicians - *2nd Floor*
- 5:45 Youth Rec and Activities - *FLC*
- 5:45 **Business & Prayer Meeting**
- 6:30 G.A.s & R.A.s - *2nd Floor*
- 6:30 Youth Element - *Youth Room*
- 6:30 **Library Committee Meeting** - *Library*
- 6:30 **Finance Committee Meeting** - *Room 106A*
- 7:00 Sanctuary Choir
- 7:15 Children & Youth dismiss (*FLC open for grades 1-6*)
- 7:30 FLC Closed (*except to children whose parents are in choir or committee meetings*)

### Saturday, February 20

- 10:00 **Baby Shower for Donisha Green West** - home of Sally Newcomer, 2825 Marye St., Alexandria

### Sunday, February 24

- Lent II**
- 9:00 Breakfast
- 9:30 Sunday School
- 10:50 Worship
- 4:30 Youth Choir
- 5:15 Youth Life
- 6:15 Emmanuel Ringers

## Looking Ahead

### Wednesday, February 17

- Supper - 5:00 - 5:45, Weems Hall
- Public Relations Committee Meeting - 5:15, Room 106A
- Prayer Meeting - 5:45, Weems Hall
- Music & Missions and Youth Activities - 5:45
- Sanctuary Choir - 7:00, Choir Room

## Art Supplies for Mexico

**Emmanuel is collecting art supplies to include in care packages for children who will be treated during the Robinson Medical Mission to Mexico from February 28 through March 10.**

### Recommended items are:

- crayons**                      **markers**                      **color pencils**
- pencils**                        **pens**                            **sketch pads**
- coloring books**            **please, NO paints or watercolors**

**Collection Point: Mission Corner in Weems Hall**

## Prayer Concerns

### Hospital:

- Rowdy Williamson (Pay Hoyt's grandson) - *Rapides Pediatric ICU*
- Ron Woodruff (Nedra Phillips' brother) - *Rapides*
- Nelson Lee (Adrienne McKay's brother) - *Lafayette*
- Phyllis Sherman (Norm Sherman's mother)

### Pray for:

- Robert Region
- Vade Gordon
- Frances Blair
- Shirley Wells
- Ruth Cooper
- Jim Hickman
- Tom Robinson
- Frank Chandler, Jr.
- Thelma Parker
- Carol Reiszner
- Selena Elmore
- Paquita Miller
- Alice Mitchell
- Neva Guinn
- Virginia Short
- Jackie Heath
- Brenda and Jackie Barton
- Patty Crout
- Vince Manzano
- Andee Nolan
- Ron Schenk
- Ginny Bethard
- Elma Lee Hood (*Rexie Tweedy's mother*)
- Charles Myers (*Tammy Franks' father*)
- Marvin Gibson (*Howard McKee's great uncle*)
- Cass Bordelon (*Patsy Byles' brother*)
- Linda Courtney (*Charleen Courtney's daughter-in-law*)
- Barbara Rudd (*Richard Rudd's mother*)
- Norris Landry (*Bryan Landry's father*)
- Monica Anderson (*Fran Anderson's daughter-in-law*)

- Keith McLain (*Monica Cox's father*)
- Mildred Cauley (*Jerry Cauley's mother*)
- Hazel Martin (*Hilda Brown's mother*)
- Aubree Hamilton (*Victoria Smith's daughter and Andy & Kathy Smith's granddaughter*)
- Laura Ellen West (*Jim & Carol Reiszner's niece*)
- Nancy Rosene (*Gail Smith's sister-in-law*)
- Cooper Marler (*Bobby & Pam Marler's grandson*)
- Dottie Roach (*Brenda Howell's mother*)
- Judy Walker (*Donna Howell's sister*)
- Kim Daley Taylor (*Larry and Lynda Taylor's daughter-in-law*)
- Bobby Beall (*Vernon Beall's son*)
- Estelle Johnson (*Jeff Johnson's mother*)
- Ken Brister (*Susan Cauley's friend*)
- Henry and Marilyn Staruska (*Heather Matlock's grandparents and Dian Wise's parents*)
- John Grider (*Rex & Emily Grider's son*)
- Military:**
- Mark McKee (*Pat & Preston McKee's son*)
- Missions:**
- Lake Providence CBF Missions
- Laura & Andy Pettigrew (*South Africa*) (*daughter and son-in-law of Jackie and Brenda Barton*)
- James & Helen Davis (*Korea*)
- Emmanuel Gospel Choir, Rueil-Malmaison (*France*)

## BLOOD DRIVE

**Give Love.  
Donate blood.  
Save a life.**

**Blood Drive**  
**TONIGHT! February 17**  
**4:30 - 7:15**  
**Room 105**

Join the blood drive tonight and give to help save a life. Remember to eat and drink well before your donation and to bring a photo I.D. with you when you donate.

## MISSIONS

### Mission of the Month

**SHOW SOME LOVE**

*to Hope House*  
with

### Paper towels & Toilet paper

Emmanuel is collecting paper towels and toilet paper for Hope House. Collection point is Mission Corner in Weems Hall.

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- pencils                        pens
- color pencils                sketch pads
- coloring books
- NO paints or watercolors*

### H2O Homeless Outreach

**Thursday, February 25**

**10:00 - Noon**

**EBC Parking Lot**

Our Emmanuel volunteers welcome the following donations to distribute during H2O.

- men's and women's new socks*
- blankets and sleeping bags*
- gloves and knit caps*
- thermal wear*
- coats and sweaters*

### Main Street Mission

**Tuesday, March 1**

**9:30 - Noon**

**Main St., Pineville**

## WELCOME

**Cory and Carly Barnette** joined the Emmanuel family on February 7. Cory and Carly have three daughters - Maddie, Ella and Lillie. Their address is 2302 Donahue Ferry Road, Pineville LA 71360.

## PILGRIMAGE

### Pilgrimage to Bethlehem 2015 DVDs

**Deadline to order:**  
**Monday, February 22**

The 2015 Pilgrimage to Bethlehem DVD is now available to order. Each DVD costs \$10 and shows 20 minutes of filming in the city only. Pre-tour is not included in this year's edition.

Deadline to order DVDs is **Monday, February 22**. Complete an order form on the tables in Weems Hall or call the church office at 442-7773 to order your copy.

## PIZZA & PYSANKY

### Pizza & Pysanky Eggs

**Sunday, March 6**

**Noon to 2:30 p.m.**

**Bolton Art Gallery, FLC**

Join us for a fun Easter art activity for ages third grade through adults. The \$15 cost covers pizza and all art supplies. Enrollment is limited. RSVP to the church office at 442-7773 by Thursday, March 3.

## CHILDREN

### Parents' Night Out

**Friday, February 26**

**5:30 - 9:30**

**Family Life Center**

Sign up your kiddos by calling the church office at 442-7773 before Friday noon on the day of PNO.

## GRATITUDE

**THANK YOU**

Much appreciation to the many people who made Sunday's Youth Fundraiser a complete success. Special thanks to those who prepared and served the meal, those who made yummy desserts and those who bid on those desserts. The Valentine's Banquet and Dessert Auction raised over \$3,000 and that money goes directly to youth savings accounts to help Emmanuel youth pay for summer camp and other youth activities.

## BABY SHOWER

YOU ARE INVITED TO A **BOOKS & BRUNCH** **BABY SHOWER** FOR *Donisha Green West* **FEBRUARY 20** **10:00 A.M.** AT THE HOME OF **SALLY NEWCOMER** 2825 MARYE ST. ALEXANDRIA **REGISTRY AT TARGET**

INSTEAD OF A CARD, WE HAVE A REQUEST - PLEASE BRING A BOOK THE BABY WILL ENJOY THE BEST! THEN THEY CAN READ YOUR NOTE EACH NIGHT BEFORE BED AND ENJOY YOUR SENTIMENT FOR ALL THE YEARS AHEAD.

## ALL CHURCH

### Free Desk

Scottie Brooks has a free desk to anyone who would like it and will haul it away. The desk is available for viewing in the Family Life Center game room area.

Contact Scottie at 442-1302 if you are interested.

### Round Table Luncheon

**Friday, February 26**

**Noon**

**Weems Hall**

Join us for lunch, fellowship and an informational talk from our own Daphne Robinson, Ph.D as she talks about *Understanding Why Ya Do What'cha Do: Stages of Moral Development*.

Please RSVP to the church office by calling 442-7773 by Thursday, February 25, if you plan to attend.

## DAY SCHOOL



**Emmanuel Baptist Day School**

### Early Registration

**Begins Monday, February 15**

Emmanuel Day School offers early registration to children and grandchildren of Emmanuel members before registration is opened to the general public on Monday, February 29.

Please contact Gayle Carroll at 442-7775 if you have any questions.